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In Re: Patent Application

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for Practicing the Same**

Group Art Unit: 1641
Examiner: Ann Y. Lam

PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 CFR 1.136(a)

Commissioner for Patents
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Sir:

This is a request under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a) to extend the period for filing a reply in the above identified application. The requested extension and appropriate non-small-entity fee are as follows (check time period desired):

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The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any fees which may be required, or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account Number 02-1666. I have enclosed a duplicate copy of this sheet.

Respectfully submitted,

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